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To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Rhode Island Access to Public Records Act, I hereby request the following records related to blood lead levels in Rhode Island children:

- Records of letters sent from the Rhode Island Department of Health to primary care providers (PCP) recommending venous test confirmation for children who had blood lead levels <5µg/dL as found from a capillary test between January 1, 2012 and January, 2019.
- Records of referrals from the Rhode Island Department of Health to families with children who had blood levels  $>5\mu g/dL$  to a lead center between January 1, 2012 and January, 2019
- Records of the five most recent educational home visits from lead centers to the homes of children with blood lead levels  ${>}5\mu g/dL$

Please redact personally-identifiable information as appropriate. If your office has any questions about this request, please feel free to contact me at the MuckRock office at 617-299-1832.

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter.

I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 10 days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

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